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Subject: FW: ZRZ remediation project
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From: JOHNSON Keith
Sent: Wednesday, October 21, 2009 3:54 PM
To: MANZANO Scott; SUTTER Jennifer; MCCLINCY Matt
Subject: FW: ZRZ remediation project

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From: Ben Meyer [mailto:Ben.Meyer@noaa.gov]
Sent: Wednesday, October 21, 2009 9:08 AM
To: Paul Fishman
Cc: Kim Kratz; Christy Fellas; KEPLER Rick J; James Holm; JOHNSON Keith; LIVERMAN Alex; MCCABE Mike; Rosen, Mike
Subject: Re: ZRZ remediation project

Paul

Thanks for your response. We have a few things we would like to clarify. Our initial comments were not provided as part of the Endangered Species Act process. These comments were provided to indicate our initial thoughts re the proposal and provide some potential

guidance. Though the issues they highlight may eventually be considered

when we begin the ESA consultation with the Corps once they request consultation as part of their permitting process.

NMFS appreciates the collaborative approach being taken and looks forward to working with all the parties to develop a project that fulfills everyone's needs.

Ben

Paul Fishman wrote:

> Kim...thank you for your letter on October 9 with comments about the
> ZRZ remediation project. Attached here is a letter outlining our
> thoughts about your recommendations and some additional information
> for discussion. In the spirit of the cooperative process established
> between ZRZ, the NMFS, and Portland BES, we would like to meet with
> you as soon as possible to get further clarification about the ESA
> regulatory requirements that are applicable to this project, and
> establish a clear path for the consultation.

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> I'll phone you this week to schedule a meeting, and I look forward to
> meeting you.

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> Paul

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